## Plastic Film Cooperative Recycling Initiative Workgroup 1: Residential and Commercial

## A. Grocery / Retail / Bags

- 1. Increase collection at grocery store and commit to use less; and acceptance of other film products (i.e. dry cleaning film)
  - a. Increase the number of drop off sites and list them on <a href="https://www.plasticbagrecycling.org">www.plasticbagrecycling.org</a>
- 2. Increase number of curbside programs accepting bags / plastic film and other film products
- 3. Increase the number of Material Recovery Facilities (MRFs) that bale film plastic
- 4. Education / Outreach
  - a. Increase the number of end users for processed film plastic
  - b. Promote proper handling and recycling of film plastic by consumers

## **B.** Transport Packaging

- 1. Increase the number of warehouses / distribution centers / large retailers that co-collect film plastic and cardboard
- 2. Work with haulers and recyclers to accept commingled bales
- 3. Work with car dealerships and marinas to implement film plastic collection
- 4. Increase the number of end users for processed film plastic

## C. <u>Institutional</u>

1. Increase collection of hospital or medical facility Blue Wrap and other film plastic